

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): NAKATA et al.

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For:

BIODEGRADABLE POLYESTER RESIN COMPOSITION,

BIODISINTEGRABLE RESIN COMPOSITION, AND MOLDED OBJECTS OF

THESE.

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to an Office Action issued June 25, 2002. No new fees are believe to be necessary. In the event that additional fees are necessitated by these amendments under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17, the Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1776-4054.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please AMEND the following claims:

- (amended) A biodegradable laminated film comprising a polycaprolactone layer with at least two other biodegradable resin layers, in which said polycaprolactone layer is sandwiched between two other biodegradable resin layers.
- 31. (amended) A biodegradable laminated film as claimed in claim 30, wherein each of said